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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

July 15, 2020

Emily A. Gianquinto, Esq. EAG Law LLC 21 Oak Street, Suite 601 Hartford, CT 06106

RE: **PETITION NO. 1347A** - GRE GACRUX LLC petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 16.78-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at 117 Oil Mill Road and associated electrical interconnection to Eversource Energy's existing substation at 325 Waterford Parkway North in Waterford, Connecticut. Reopening of this petition based on changed conditions pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-181a(b).

Dear Attorney Gianquinto:

In response to your request, at the July 14, 2020 remote public hearing, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50n, § 22a-19, and 4-177a, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) granted Party and CEPA Intervenor status in Petition No. 1347A to Save the River-Save the Hills, Inc.

Please be advised that until further notice, in order to prevent the spread of Coronavirus and protect the health and safety of our members and staff, the Council has converted to full remote operations and has waived the original and 15 hard copy filing requirements. **Please mail one hard copy of any filing to the Council Office for our records**. In accordance with Section 16-50j-12 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies and with the State Solid Waste Management Plan, the Council is requesting that all filings be submitted on recyclable paper, primarily regular weight white office paper. Please avoid using heavy stock paper, colored paper, and metal or plastic binders and separators. It is also requested that an electronic version of all filings be sent to siting.council@ct.gov.

The Council's preferred service to parties and intervenors is electronic mail. If you wish to receive hard copies of documents via regular mail, please notify the Council in writing. Parties and intervenors are required to serve all other parties and intervenors a copy of any material submitted in this petition, unless service is waived. A copy of the current service list can be found on the Council's website for this proceeding.

Copies of all documents filed to date in this proceeding are available on the Council's website under pending matters. Please contact me if you require any further information regarding the Council's procedure.

Sincerely,

s/Melanie Bachman

Melanie Bachman Executive Director

c: Service List, dated July 14, 2020

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